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BEIRUT PASS BAGHDAD

1. MID-AMERICA COMMITTEE'S TRADE AND INVESTMENT MISSION BRIEFED OCTOBER 16 BY DEP ASST SEC SOBER, OTHER NEA OFFICIALS, AND REPRESENTATIVES COMMERCE, TREASURY, AID, AND OPIC ON OCTOBER 25-NOVEMBER 7 VISIT TO MIDDLE EAST. LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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2. FOLLOWING IS ITINERARY FOR MISSION AS RECEIVED FROM COMMITTEE PRESIDENT THOMAS H. MINER:

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25: IN BEIRUT (PHOENICIA), EMBASSY BRIEF-ING. MEETING WITH FEDERATED ARAB CHAMBERS OF COMMERCE. DEPART 7:30 P.M. VIA KUWAITI AIRLINES 532. ARRIVE KUWAIT 9:40 P.M. (SHERATON);

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26: IN KUWAIT, EMBASSY BRIEFING. APPOINT-MENTS WITH SENIOR GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS AS ARRANGED WITH EMBASSY'S HELP. LUNCHEON WITH KUWAIT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. EVENING RECEPTION HOSTED BY MID-AMERICA; SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27: MEETINGS ARRANGED THROUGH EMBASSY AND CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. DEPART 7:00 P.M. FOR ABU DHABI FOLLOWING POSSIBLE PRESS CONFERENCE AT KUWAIT AIRPORT. NIGHT AT ABU DHABI HILTON.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 28: IN ABU DHABI, EMBASSY BRIEFING. POSSIBLE COURTESY CALL ON RULER. APPOINTMENTS WITH SENIOR OFFICIALS AND OTHER MEETINGS AS ARRANGED BY EMBASSY. EVENING RECEPTION HOSTED BY MID-AMERICA AT ABU DHABI HILTON. FOLLOWING RECEPTION, DEPART FOR RIYADH. NIGHT AT ALYAMAMA HOTEL.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 29: IN RIYADH. EMBASSY BRIEFING IN MORNING. FOLLOWED BY APPOINTMENTS WITH SENIOR OFFICIALS. EVENING RECEPTION AT AL-YAMAMA HOTEL HOSTED BY MISSION.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 30: MORNING IN RIYADH. FINISH OFFICIAL APPOINTMENTS. DEPART AFTERNOON FLIGHT TO JIDDA (AL KANDARA HOTEL).

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31: IN JIDDA. BUSINESS APPOINTMENTS IN MORNING. LUNCHEON HOSTED BY BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF JIDDA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. EARLY EVENING RECEPTION ALSO GIVEN BY JIDDA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. DEPART JIDDA 8:15 P.M. VIA EGYPT AIR 762. ARRIVE CAIRO 10:20 P.M. (SHERATON).

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 1: IN CAIRO. FREE TIME.

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SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2: IN CAIRO. EMBASSY BRIEFING FOLLOWED BY APPOINTMENTS SENIOR OFFICIALS AS ARRANGED EMBASSY AND GOE. EVENING RECEPTION HOSTED BY MID-AMERICA.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3: IN CAIRO. BUSINESS APPOINTMENTS.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4: IN CAIRO. FINAL APPOINTMENTS. DEPART CAIRO 3:50 P.M. FOR TEHRAN VIA MEA 305 (ARRIVES BEIRUT

5:30 P.M.) AND SWISSAIR 376 WHICH DEPARTS BEIRUT 8:35 P.M.

ARRIVE TEHRAN 12:15 A.M. (INTERCONTINENTAL).

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 5: IN TEHRAN. MORNING BRIEFING BY EMBASSY. IRANIAN-AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE LUNCHEON. OFFICIAL APPOINTMENTS AS ARRANGED THROUGH EMBASSY, AND EMBASSY RECEPTION.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 6: IN TEHRAN. FURTHER OFFICIAL AND BUSINESS APPOINTMENTS.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 7: MISSION CONCLUDED AND MOST PARTICIPANTS DEPART TEHRAN.

- 3. ADVANCE MAN JOHN SENTMAN OF MINOR ASSOCIATES WILL ARRIVE 48 HOURS PRIOR TO MISSION IN ALL CITIES EXCEPT ABU DHABI TO CHECK FINAL ARRANGEMENTS.
- 4. MISSION PARTICIPANTS, THEIR FIRMS, AND MIDEAST REPRESENTATIVES ARE: .
- A. NEAL BALL, AMERICAN HOSPITAL SUPPLY CORPORATION.
 REPRESENTATIVES: NILE COMPANY FOR PHARMACEUTICAL AND
 CHEMICAL INDUSTRIES, EL AMIRIA, CAIRO; DON BAXTER LABS,
 TEHRAN, SERUM COMPANY, TEHRAN; GENERAL RADIOLOGY IRAN,
 TEHRAN; MEDICAL PLANNING ASSOCIATES, TTEHRAN; MR. BALL
 WISHES TO MEET: HEALTH WELFARE AND MEDICAL OFFICIALS,
 MINISTERS OF HEALTH, MINISTERS OF SOCIAL WELFARE, RED LION
 SOCIETY IN IRAN, MAHMOOD AL JASSIM OF NATIONAL INDUSTRIES
 IN KUWAIT, FAHD DAGHAITHER OF INSTITUTE OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION IN RIYADH, DR. RIFAT ALSAYED ALI AND HORACE
 HITCHCOCK OF KING FAISAL SPECIALIST HOSPITAL IN RIYADH.
- B. WALLACE R. BAKER, BAKER AND MCKENZIE, INTERNATIONAL LAW LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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FIRM. NO REPS.

- C. FRANKLIN C. FISHER, JR., INTERNATIONAL RESOURCES, NO REPS
- D. ROBERT W. FORLOINE, CAPITAL RESOURCES, NO REPS.
- E. RICHARD GIESEN AND ARCHIE LAPOINTE, SCIENCE RESEARCH ASSOCIATES, NO REPS.
- F. ALEXANDER HEHMEYER, FIELD ENTERPRISES, NO REPS.
- G. EDWARD F. HUSKISSON, SWIFT AND COMPANY, NO REPS.
- H. DONALD P. KELLY, ESMARK INC., NO REPS.

- I. ROBERT W. LINDGREN, NATURAL GAS PIPELINE COMPANY OF AMERICA, NO REPS.
- J. THOMAS M. THOMPSON, GENERAL AMERICAN TRANSPORTATION, NO REPS
- K. ROBERT MUSGJERD, INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY, REPRESENTATIVE: W. G. WAITE, INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER, BEIRUT;
- L. ROGER AXTELL AND RICHARD BREWER, PARKER PEN COMPANY,

DISTRIBUTORS: HALIM HANNA AND COMPANY, BEIRUT; AM EASTERN WLL, KUWAIT, MOHD NOUR FALAH JAMJOOM AND BROTHERS, JIDDA-

HEJAV; GENERAL TRADING AND CHEMICALS COMPANY, CAIRO; EDKA COMPANY INC., TEHRAN.

M. JAMES H. INGERSOLL, BORG-WARNER CORPORATION.
REPRESENTATIVES: BORG WARNER INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION,
BEIRUT; RANEC ENGINEERING AND CONTRACTORS, BEIRUT; MICHAEL
ANDRAOS AND COMPANY SAL, BEIRUT; SUPPLIES AND CONTRACTS
CO. S A L, BEIRUT; LEVANT TRADING COMPANY OF LEBANON,
BEIRUT; A. H. ALSAGAR AND BROTHERS, KUWAIT, PETROLEUM
SERVICES CO. LTD., KUWAIT; ELECTRONIC APPLIANCE CORP. KUWAIT
GENERAL ENTERPRISES CO. ABU DHABI; MR. KHALID SHALABI,
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KUWAIT; MR. AZIZ V. MATTA, CAIRO; TECHNO FRIGO CORP., TEHRAN ATMOSPHERE MFG COMPANY, TEHRAN; SHERKATE SAHAMI JEEP, TEHRAN; A AND H KASRA, TEHRAN; ITECH CO LTD, TEHRAN; E. A. JUFFALI AND BROTHERS, RIYADH; IBRAHIM ABUNAYYAN ORGANIZATION, RIYADH; E. A. JUFFALI AND BROTHERS, JIDDA

- N. JOHN L. HANIGAN, BRUNSWICK CORPORATION.
 REPRESENTATIVES, MARINE ENGINEERING COMPANY, TEHRAN; BADER
 AL MULLA AND BROTHERS, KUWAIT; MR. JOSEPH DACCAK, BEIRUT;
 PHILIPPE KAMEL, BEIRUT; MR. ANTOINE DAGHER, RAS BEIRUT.
- O. WILLIAM J. MCDONOUGH, FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO, REPRESENTATIVE: FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF CHICAGO, TEHRAN.
- P. RICHARD CAREY, CONTINENTAL ILLINOIS NATIONAL BANK AND TRUST COMPANY OF CHICAGO (NOTE: HE HEADS CONTINENTAL DEVELOPMENT BANK IN BEIRUT), AFFILIATES: INDUSTRIAL AND MINING DEVELOPMENT BANK OF IRAN, TEHRAN; BANK DARIUSH, TEHRAN;
- Q. CHARLES W. GRAHAM, NORTHERN TRUST COMPANY, NO REPS.

- R. DONALD H. LARMEE, PULLMAN, INC., REPRESENTATIVE: KELLOGG IRAN INC., TEHRAN.
- S. DR. VLADIMIR HAENSEL, UNIVERSAL OIL PRODUCTS, REPRE-SENTATIVES: JOSEPH SHAMOON, TEHRAN; HENRY MARTEL, TEHRAN;
- T. THOMAS H. MINER, MID-AMERICA COMMITTEE.
- U- WINSTANLEY BRIGGS, THOMAS H. MINER AND ASSOCIATES, INC. REPRESENTATIVE: JOHN SENTMAN, KUWAIT
- 5. ABOVE COMPANIES REPRESENT FIELDS OF: RAIL AND SEA TRANSPORTATION, BULK LIQUID TERMINALS, FINANCIAL SERVICES AND BANKING, NEWSPAPERS, EDUCATIONAL PUBLISHING AND TESTING, FOOD, CHEMICALS, INSURANCE, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS, WRITING

INSTRUMENTS, METAL AND POWDERED METAL PRODUCTS; RECREATIONAL EQUIPMENT, CLOTHING; ENGINEERING AND CONSTRUCTION; COMPUTERS, MEDICAL EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES, TURNKEY HOSPITALS, LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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INTERNATIONAL ATTORNEYS, REAL ESTATE, TRANSPORTATION OF NATURAL GAS, INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS CONSULTING, AGRICULTURAL AND CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT, MARINE ENGINES, AIR CONDITIONING, BUILDING PRODUCTS.

- 6. MID-AMERICA COMMITTEE, IN CONJUNCTION WITH STATE, AID, AND EMBASSY DAMASCUS, CONSIDERING POSSIBILITY OF SYRIA VISIT FOLLOWING BUSINESS IN TEHRAN. WILL ADVISE IF PLANS FIRM.
- 7. FOR BAGHDAD: MISSION PARTICIPANTS ROGER AXTELL AND RICHARD BREWER OF PARKER PEN COMPANY, PLAN PROCEED FROM TEHRAN TO BAGHDAD FOR PERIOD APPROXIMATELY NOVEMBER 7 THROUGH 11 TO DISCUSS AGENCY ARRANGEMENTS IN IRAQ.
- 8. SUGGEST PRECISE TRAVEL PLANS FOR MID-AMERICA MISSION BE TREATED AS LOU AND THAT EMBASSIES COUNSEL MISSION LEADER MINOR REGARDING LOCAL SECURITY PRECAUTIONS.
- 9. FOR JIDDA: FORMER DEP ASST SEC STATE DANIEL SEARBY, NOW WITH TRIAD AMERICA, HAS CONVEYED TRIAD WISH TO HOST DINNER FOR MISSION IN RIYADH AT RESIDENCE ADNAN KOSHOQQI, PROBABLY EVENING OCTOBER 28. MID-AMERICA GROUP AGREEABLE IF NO CONFLICT WITH SCHEDULE EMBASSY ARRANGING. SUGGESTS LATTER CONSULT ON ARRANGEMENTS WITH TRIAD'S RIYADH REPRESENTATIVE MOHAMED OTHMAN. INGERSOLL

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